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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 2, 2005, in connection with the above-identified patent application. The Office Action set a one-month shortened statutory period for response and this Response is filed within that period.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin : on page 2 of this paper.

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